

NEWS OF THE WEEK

HAPPENINGS OF THE SEVEN
PAST DAYS ARE BRIEFLY
TOLD HERE.

FROM AROUND THE PLANET

Dispatches From Our Own and For-
eign Countries Are Here Given
in Short Meter for
Busy Readers.

Issues arising from the seizure by British cruisers of three American oil tank ships soon will be adjusted, in the opinion of state department officials.

James J. Ferrall, who claims to be the father of the "buy-a-bale-of-cotton" movement, confirmed the statement of Supt. King of the cotton exchange that the exchange would open about Nov. 2.

President Wilson congratulated J. Y. Duckworth, a North Carolina mountaineer, on having been the father of 25 children and having voted the Democratic ticket for 65 years.

Quater proceedings against 22 cotton oil companies for operating mills in Arkansas in alleged violation of the state anti-trust laws were filed by Attorney General Moore in the Federal circuit court.

W. L. Amorette, a farmer living near Madill, Ok., was shot and dangerously wounded by a tenant named Scott. The affair was the culmination of a long-standing quarrel over crop rentals.

Dr. C. C. Flower, about 70 years old, indicted 14 years ago in New York City on a charge of grand larceny arising out of enormous sales of alleged fraudulent mining stocks, was arrested at Toronto, Ont.

Col. Theodore Roosevelt, in a campaign speech at Erie, Pa., endorsed the amalgamation of the Democratic and Washington parties of Pennsylvania in supporting Vance C. McCormick (Dem.) for governor.

The validity of the Arkansas "full crew act," passed by the last legislature, was sustained by the Arkansas state supreme court.

Frederick M. Shepard, a lawyer and nominee for state senator, is under arrest at Los Angeles, Cal., on a federal warrant, charged with complicity in a \$20,000 opium smuggling plot.

A report that 14 members of the national guard in "uniform and fully armed" entered the strike zone of the Colorado coal field was contained in a message sent to President Wilson by the policy committee of the United Mine Workers of America.

Six men were crushed to death when they were caught under a fall of rocks from a cliff at the plant of the H. F. Baker Rock Crushing company at Bluefield, W. Va.

Bankers of Chicago pledged \$15,000 toward the \$100,000 fund being raised by the American Red Cross society for use on European battlefields. Contributions to date total \$54,065.

Delegates to a convention of the Indiana Equal Suffrage association at Logansport have pledged themselves to wear gloves and hose of cotton until the European war is ended.

A masked bandit forced the cashier of the Bank of Pontotoc, at Pontotoc, Ok., to hand over \$2,000 and escaped after exchanging shots with citizens. In his flight the robber dropped two bags containing \$600.

Judge Jacob Treiber, in the United States circuit court at Little Rock, Ark., rendered an opinion that the Arkansas "blue sky" law is constitutional.

"Steamboat" known throughout the country as the champion bucking horse of the world is dead. He was shot to end his sufferings from blood poisoning.

Philander C. Knox, former United States senator and secretary of state, of Philadelphia, at a Republican meeting made caustic criticism of the present administration and its Mexican policy.

The board of arbitration to settle labor disputes between 98 western railroads and their engineers and firemen will begin its session at Chicago Nov. 9.

The towboat Joseph B. Williams was burned to the water's edge at Calbre, Ill. The boat was said to be the second largest towboat on inland water. It cost \$100,000.

Alexander Nibbel, commissioner of safety of Denver, Colo., retained his office in a recall election. He received 25,708 first-choice votes, and first, second and "other" choice votes segregated 27,785. Sidney Eastwood received a total of 21,961.

Building of 16,000 miles of rock road in Illinois during the next 20 years is the ambitious plan announced by A. D. Gaah, head of the state highway commission. The plan calls for the expenditure of approximately \$160,000,000.

The purchase of 20,000 horses for the use of the French government is the mission of Capt. de Halesmaud of the French army, a passenger on the steamship La Touraine, which arrived at New York from Havre.

George E. Earle was appointed receiver for Berg Bros., operators of a large department store at Philadelphia. No statement of liabilities was made public. The receiver's bond was fixed at \$750,000.

From a source believed to be authoritative, word was received at Boston that Vanniman Court, a member of the Boston opera company, had been shot and killed while fighting in the French army.

Dr. R. C. Hughes, a physician, was arrested on a charge of murder in the first degree, as a result of investigation of a feud that has frequently broken out in the last five years at Walnut Ridge, Ark.

Exports of automobiles from the United States in the last fiscal year eclipsed all previous records, amounting to \$40,000,000 in value. Figures for August, however, show a remarkable decrease.

The French Red Cross has received a donation of \$5,000, which was the proceeds of a collection taken up at a garden party in Los Angeles, Cal.

Traffic through the Panama canal was resumed after being blocked for a week by a landslide into Culebra cut.

The compromise cotton relief plan was defeated in the house by a vote of 123 to 91. It proposed the deposit of \$250,000,000 of government funds in southern banks to be loaned to cotton and tobacco growers.

A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company of London, from Athens, says that there were continuous seismic shocks in the Grecian provinces of Attica and Boeotia and Peloponnese.

Mrs. Hue Kinsey, wife of Charles Kinsey, former chief of police in Muskogee, Ok., was arrested on a warrant sworn out by Mrs. F. B. Blount, who charges Mrs. Kinsey with stealing jewelry and diamonds valued at \$300.

A serious international controversy between the United States and Great Britain arose over the seizure of the American tank steamer John D. Rockefeller by a British warship.

All social affairs probably will be abandoned at the White House this winter because of Mrs. Wilson's death.

President Wilson and former President Taft will meet at Washington next Tuesday at the annual convention of the American Bar association. Mr. Wilson will deliver the welcoming address and Mr. Taft, as president of the association, will preside.

Mrs. M. C. Goodlet, founder of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, died in her home in Nashville, Tenn., after a long illness. She was the widow of Col. M. C. Goodlet and was 70 years old.

A merchants' exchange dispatch from Port Said says that the Blue Funnel liner, from Seattle for Great Britain, with a \$1,000,000 cargo, largely of foodstuffs, is on fire in the Suez canal.

The conference report on the war revenue bill was adopted in the senate by a vote of 35 to 11. Three senators who did not vote were counted as present to make a quorum.

Two separate trains of 13 Pullmans each arrived with delegates from St. Louis, Chicago, Seattle, San Francisco and the middle west to the fortieth convention of the American Bankers' association at Richmond, Va.

Jurors selected for service on coroners' cases hereafter will be chosen from men out of employment who have families dependent upon them. Coroner Peter Hoffman of Chicago announced.

Argument in the suit of the federal government to break up the United States Steel corporation on the ground that the combination of the subsidiaries is a violation of the anti-trust laws was begun in Philadelphia.

Charles Henry Weston, formerly of Salem, Mass., was found guilty of the murder of his wife and at the same time declared to be insane and committed to an asylum in London, Eng.

Despite efforts at secrecy, it was learned that large orders for all manner of goods are being placed in Chicago and throughout the middle west by the European governments at war.

Frank S. Thomas, agent of Gen. Villa at Washington, announced he had received a telegram from Villa's headquarters at Juarez saying the resignation of Gen. Carranza was accepted by the national convention at Aguas Calientes.

The bale of cotton which President Wilson bought recently to aid the "Buy-a-Bale-of-Cotton" movement in behalf of the south, is to be sold to the highest bidder at a Red Cross bazaar in New York during the nine days beginning Oct. 22.

For this cool weather you will want heavy flannel work shirts. See the line at Bradley's.

Individuality



is the dominating note in our suits, which we've just received. Almost every one shows a distinctive fashion touch, all its own. Striking Redingote styles—Serges, Gabardines, Novelty Weaves. Prices

\$12.50 to \$28

"EMPRESS" COATS

For Ladies and Misses

New models in all desirable clothes. Exclusive models, too, that you won't find in every store. Very stylish.

\$4.50 to \$25.00

MILLINERY

Every day we are adding new things in trimmings and shapes.

Elzee Tailored Hats, \$4 to \$10

Street Hats at 75c to \$3.00

Baltzer & Dodds D. G. Co.

Incorporated

TRUCK-GROWING SPEECHES
AT WATSON SCHOOL HOUSE.

In the interest of truck-growing, several good talks were made to a large and appreciative audience at Watson's school house Tuesday night. Mr. Clement, of Humboldt, a practical truck-grower, Judge F. S. Moore and Rev. W. M. Walker delivered addresses. Judging from reports, the people of that vicinity are very much interested in the new innovation, and will be in line with their share of acreage in 1915. Several Hickmanites, interested in this movement, were present.

The Ills. Oil Co., has established a distributing station at Clinton, with 10,000 gallons capacity.

Frosty weather calls for a change to warmer underwear. Bradley has it.

Hallowe'en Saturday.



AFTER A DINNER HERE

you will be in a mood to enjoy a good cigar. For it will be a dinner that will linger long in your memory, a dinner that you will be eager to repeat. Stop in today and put our service to the test of taste. Then "Where To Dine Well" will no longer be a problem to you.

FROST'S CAFE

CARTOONIST COMING.

W. R. Dorris, of Dixon, Ky., will give an exhibition in Hickman at the Gem, Wednesday, Nov. 4th. Mr. Dorris is a cartoonist and illustrator and the press notices of his work are complimentary; that he displays unusual talent and executes his work with rapidity and skillfulness. In the recent Chautauqua held here, the cartoonist and his "chalk talks," was one of the most interesting features. We bespeak a full house for Mr. Dorris and feel sure that the audience will be entertained every moment of the time. Admission 25c, children 15c. Given under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church. At the Gem, Nov. 4, at 7.30.

Master Joe Amberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Amberg, entertained a number of his little playmates last Wednesday evening by way of celebrating his 9th birthday. A number of games were played; also races run by boys and girls. Helen Binford won the girl's race and Milton Ross the boys'. The decorations consisted of pumpkins and black cats; and refreshments, cream cake and cake, were served in pumpkin-pan-favors. Master Joe Binford played the march for his guests as they repaired to the dining room. Those present were: J. C. West, Milton and George Lee-Ross, John and Leonard Johnston, William Curlier, Harry Threlkeld, Paul Hughes, Mark Bradley, Crespus Moss, Neville Roney, DeWitt Amberg, and little Misses Mildred Huddleston, Katherine Tipton, Mildred Goadler, Myra Faris, Dorothy Moss, Lenora Amberg, Dorothy Naylor and Helen Binford.

New cereals of all kinds at Battersworth & Ezell's.

Business improving.

CAYCEE NEWS.

Mrs. Bob Johnson and Mrs. Myatt Johnson spent Wednesday with Mrs. Albert Roper.—Dr. C. A. Wright, F. B. Atteberry and Tom Atteberry motored to Hickman Saturday.—Ben Johnson left Thursday for Los Angeles, Cal., after several weeks visit with home folks.—Misses Jessie Wall and Pearl Johnson were in Union City Thursday.—Mrs. Jim Jones returned home Saturday from a visit with relatives at Fulton.—Mr. and Mrs. Will Jefferson spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roper.—Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stallings, of near Fulton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones Saturday and Sunday.—Mrs. Chas. Bondurant and daughter, Evelyn, visited her mother, Mrs. Lou Burnett, Friday.—Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Mayfield were in Union City Saturday.—Mr. and Mrs. Jim Boone Inman, of near Fulton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bondurant Sunday.—Misses Effie and Girdy Asell and Eula Roper were in Hickman Monday.—Rev. Butler has accepted the call of the Caycee Baptist church and will fill his first appointment Sunday and regular services begin at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.—Misses Louis Freeman and Mattie Nichols, of Crutehfield, were guests of Mrs. C. A. Wright Saturday and Sunday.—Miss Jessie Barber, of Hickman, visited Mrs. Walter Edmiston Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. Bob Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McClellan attended services at Harmony Sunday.—F. B. Atteberry and Almus Wall were in Hickman Monday.—Chas. Murchison was in town Tuesday.

CRYSTAL NOTES.

Thursday, Oct. 29—Perils of Pauline, 3 reels.

Friday, Oct. 30—Troy O'Hearts 3 reels.

Saturday, Oct. 31—Thrust of Fate, feature photo play, in 3 parts, showing the most sensational duel scene ever depicted in motion pictures.

Tickets sold in contest good until October 31.

National Director, D. A. McClellan, of the Loyal Order of Moose, addressed the Banquet given by the local lodge Tuesday evening, October 27, 1914. Mr. McClellan made a very plain, interesting and beneficial talk to over 300 of Hickman's best business men and citizens, and held the strict attention of every one present for over an hour. The strong features of the talk made by Mr. McClellan were purity, aid and progress, and a general synopsis of the good the Loyal Order of Moose was doing throughout the country for the betterment and uplifting of humanity, looking after the widows and orphans, and described in general the home at Mooseheart, Ill., where the best attention is given the widows and orphans. From the general appearance of every one present one could easily see that all enjoyed themselves to the fullest, and the local lodge spared no time or money to see that every one was entertained royally. The local lodge Loyal Order of Moose is at present over 150 strong, being only 5 months old and predicts by the first of the year of having not less than 250 members and probably more. Hickman in general ought to be proud of such an order and if any one will take time to investigate the workings of the Loyal Order of Moose they will surely lose no time in joining the order.

The Associated Charities cleared between \$33 and \$34 on the oyster supper given by them last Thursday evening. The supper was served in an elegant manner and thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Harness. Harness. Yes, collars, harness collar pads, bridles, traces and many other things in the harness line and shoe outfit.—C. L. Clark's Cash Grocery.

SIX PER CENT MONEY furnished if you want to build a house. See W. A. Dodds.

C. G. Schlenker, A. E. Owens and W. J. McMurry were in Union City yesterday.

All the new things in mens and boys hats and caps at Rice's Shoe Store.

Mrs. Joe Davis, of Columbus, suffered a stroke of paralysis last week.

Sugar loaf sweet corn only 15c a can.—Battersworth & Ezell.

Nothing new to report from the war center.

H. C. SHAW MAGISTRATE
FOR DISTRICT NO. 4.

H. G. (Hannon) Shaw is now a full fledged magistrate of Fulton county, representing district No. 4, or the lower end of the county. He received his commission yesterday from Gov. McCreary, and forthwith qualified and made bond. He is also authorized to perform marriage ceremonies and such other business as would come before a Justice of the peace.

D. B. Smith was elected to this office but failed to qualify and the office has been vacant since the last election.

Mr. Shaw is a young man of plenty of backbone and horse sense, and will doubtless fill the office entirely satisfactory.

Congratulations, Squire.

POLICE COURT NEWS.
23 CASES DISPOSED OF.

Since our last report twenty-three cases have been disposed of in police court by Judge W. B. Amberg. The bulk of grist consisted of breach of the peace charges, but gaming and cider selling are represented.

Those found guilty of violating the local option law were:

Will Barnes, fined \$60.

Paul Elige, \$60.

Henry Davis, \$20.

Jas. and Bob White, tried by jury and fined \$50 each. They appealed their cases to the circuit court.

Buck Shaw and Will Smith were assessed \$20 each on charge of gaming.

Those found guilty of minor offenses or breach of the peace and fined \$5 each were: Charlie Little, Willie Lowrey, Ivy Hale, Bud Nichols, John Walker, Chas. Cruce, Risty Jackson, Floyd Butler, Chas. Brown, U. S. Lee, Walter Figg, Walter Williams, G. Wright, Finley, Jim Ammons and W. C. Phipps.

Total fines, without costs, \$370.00.

SELLING TOO CHEAP.
LANDED IN JAIL.

By offering knives, rings, watch-fobs and charms and other trinkets for less than a legitimate price, two young fellows giving their names as Roy and Joe Harding, of Burriside, Ills., were arrested at Cayce yesterday by Sheriff Huddleston, who learned the particulars from Bob Powell. When arrested, both boys carried pistols. They were fined \$50 each and sentenced to ten days in jail for carrying concealed weapons. In the meantime, the sheriff is investigating the source of their supply of jewelry and knives. They claimed to have bought them for purpose of peddling. They carried a cold chisel and screw-driver.

LANG BOUND OVER ON
HOUSEBREAKING CHARGE.

Robt Lang was arrested Saturday by officers Hamby and Wall, charged with housebreaking. The warrant was sworn out by Emmett Smith, who runs a pressing club. The goods were found alright, but Lang claims he bought them from another negro. He was bound over. Both are negroes.

The firm of Smith & Amberg begin next week a Cotton Week sale. If any class of people in the world should patronize a cotton sale, it is we of the South, who are in sore distress because of a lack of market. Every piece of cotton goods purchased helps just that much to create a demand for cotton. A store that tries to help out by pushing cotton goods is taking a step in the right direction and deserves our patronage. If all dry goods stores would join in this movement the result would be far-reaching.

Another horrible mine disaster occurred yesterday at Royalton, Ills., when 300 men were entombed as a result of an explosion. Seventy dead bodies have been recovered. As the mine is a mass of roaring flames, all may have perished.

Mrs. J. R. Hafford, of Los Angeles, Cal., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. E. Lynch, left Monday for Rector, Ark., to visit her sister, Mrs. S. A. Ward.

The Literary Circle will meet Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock with Misses Bettie and Allie Dodds.

Mrs. Rachel Moore returned to Union City yesterday after a visit with C. H. Moore and family.

McKee Johnson returned Tuesday from Nashville.

WEATHER: Fair today and Friday.